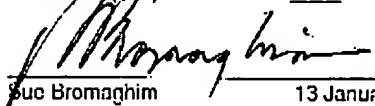


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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed 13 September 2004, Applicants request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the remarks in the above-referenced application. A Request for Continued Examination, accompanied by an appropriate request for extension of time, accompanies this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

The Claims with any amendments are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 herein.

Remarks begin on page 11.